



NEWSPAPER NOTICE

PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD FOR PROPOSED CLEANUP AND ORDER AMENDMENT AT BOEING'S RENTON, WASHINGTON PLANT

The Department of Ecology (Ecology) invites the public to read and comment on a proposed amendment to the Agreed Order No. DE 97HZ-N233. This order implements corrective action (cleanup) at the Boeing Renton Plant to satisfy the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA). Ecology also invites the public to read and comment on an interim cleanup action on the property.

The Boeing Company (Boeing) intends to sell a portion of their Renton Plant. The Agreed Order will change this property's boundaries and remove three areas of concern (AOC) near Building 10-52 from the Agreed Order. These areas of concern are located on the property Boeing intends to sell. Boeing is responsible for this area's cleanup before and after the property is sold.

The cleanup (interim action) will remove petroleum-contaminated soils from this area. Ecology has determined that this interim action will create no significant adverse impacts to the environment. Therefore, Ecology recommends a State Environmental Policy Act (SEPA) determination of non-significance (DNS) for this activity.

The public may read and comment on these three documents between October 18, 2004 and November 17, 2004. Written comment must be postmarked no later than November 17, 2004. Ecology will hold a public meeting if ten or more persons request a public meeting in writing before the end of the public comment period.

The Agreed Order Amendment, Draft Interim Action (Cleanup) Work Plan, and SEPA documents will be available Monday through Thursday 10am to 5pm and Friday and Saturday 9am to 3pm at:

City of Renton Main Library
100 Mill South
Renton, WA 98055
(425) 430-6610

You may also read these documents Monday through Friday, 9am to 5pm by appointment, at:

Department of Ecology
Northwest Regional Office
3190 160th Ave. S.E.
Bellevue, WA 98008-5452
(425) 649-7190

Ecology will consider and respond to all written comments and then make a final decision or a new tentative decision on the proposed interim cleanup action, agreed order amendment, and SEPA DNS.

To get a copy of the Fact Sheet and SEPA DNS, contact Byung Maeng at (425) 649-7253 (voice) or 711 or 1-800-833-6388 (TTY relay service), by email at bmae461@ecy.wa.gov or at the address below. Or visit Ecology's web site: www.ecy.wa.gov.

To submit comments, mail or personally deliver a letter or email to Byung Maeng, Department of Ecology, 3190 160th Ave. SE, Bellevue, Washington 98008. If comments are emailed, please provide a name and US mail address.

Ecology is an Equal Opportunity Agency. If you need this information in an alternative format, or you have special accommodation needs for the meeting, contact Byung Maeng at (425) 649-7253 (Voice) or 711 or 1-800-833-6388 (TTY relay service).